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## Close Cynwyd School for Week as Scarlet Fever Cases Increase

Eleven Cases Among Children, All Representing Different Families, Causes Decision

### WILL REOPEN MONDAY

The Cynwyd School, Levering Mill road and Bryn Mawr avenue, Cynwyd, was closed Monday for the week due to an increase in the number of scarlet fever cases in this district during the past two weeks.

A total of 11 cases among children in this school was reported Monday. While they are scattered throughout the building, they represent 11 different families.

In his report to the Lower Merion School Board Monday night, S. E. Downs, Superintendent of Schools, reported that the school had been closed for one day previously for fumigation, but the increase in cases over the past week-end caused the decision to close for the week.

An additional thorough fumigation and thorough scrubbing and cleaning of the building is scheduled before the reopening Monday.

Exercises in connection with commencement season were announced as follows:

Baccalaureate Service, Senior High School Auditorium, May 30.

Seventh grade grammar school Music Night, Junior High School Auditorium, May 25.

Commencement Exercises, Junior High School Auditorium, June 4.

Junior High School Closing Entertainment, June 8.

The schools will close as per schedule June 11.

The Board's Finance Committee reported that settlement had been made with Peter C. Hess, tax collector for this district, for 1936 taxes. A check for \$15,070.97 was turned over by Mr. Hess, who reported liens filed amounting to \$51,722.33.

The total of school taxes liened during the year was \$1,100,000.

## Juniors in Closing Banquet on May 27

Bridge to Follow Affair at Haverford; Book Club Lists Events

The closing banquet of the Junior Women's Community Club of Narberth will be held at Erskine Hall, in Haverford, at 7 o'clock on Thursday evening, May 27. The officers and chairmen will give their annual reports and bridge will follow the meeting.

Mrs. John H. Jefferies, Jr., is the chairman of the committee and reservations must be made with her not later than Tuesday. Other committee members are Mrs. G. H. Wyckoff and Mrs. Walter Hunsinger.

Members of the Book Club will hold a supper party and bridge at the home of Mrs. Robert Conley, 11 Woodside avenue, June 7.

Several Book Club members saw Katherine Cornell in "The Wingless Victory" on Saturday. They included Mrs. Ellsworth Clark, the chairman; Mrs. Franklin Hutchinson, Mrs. John H. Jefferies, Mrs. R. M. Brown, Mrs. E. D. McMullin, Mrs. Robert Tabor, Mrs. Harold Laine, Mrs. Robert Leech, Mrs. E. R. Granslow, Mrs. I. C. Satow, Miss Mary Rooback, Mrs. Edward Corrigan and Miss Margaret Burrell.

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## Rev. Anderson Made Doctor of Theology by Alma Mater

The congregation of the Narberth Presbyterian Church welcomed the return of Rev. Archer Anderson and Mrs. Anderson this week. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson have been visiting in Texas. While in Dallas, they attended the commencement exercises of the Dallas Theological Seminary when Mr. Anderson was awarded the degree of Doctor of Theology by his alma mater.

On Sunday Mr. Anderson will preach the first of a series of three sermons of special interest to the young people graduating this June from any school or college.

During the three Sundays of Mr. Anderson's absence, the pulpit at the Presbyterian Church was occupied by the pastor emeritus, the Rev. John Van Ness, D.D.

## Ten Presidents of Community Club Note Achievements of Two Decades

Ninety-two women attended the closing luncheon and meeting of the Women's Community Club of Narberth Tuesday afternoon at the Wynnewood House on Montgomery avenue.

Mrs. Ralph C. Heath, the retiring president, opened the luncheon with a prayer and a short memorial service for the club members who passed away during the past year, Mrs. James A. England, Mrs. A. C. Ehle and Mrs. Henry Dotzenroth.

Guests at the luncheon were Mrs. A. B. Ross, former Montgomery County chairman and also a former member of the Narberth Club, Mrs. LeRoy Douglass, another honorary member and one new member, Mrs. Louis J. McConnell.

Mrs. Ross made a brief address in which she stated that she had watched the club grow in the past twenty years to be a worthwhile asset to the community and hoped it would continue in its good work; Mrs. LeRoy Douglass, who was the first to start the Parent-Teacher Association in Narberth, the pre-school work and the

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### New Club Leader



—Photo by Bachrach.  
MRS. EDWARD W. HEYMANN who was installed as president of the Women's Community Club of Narberth for a two-year term on Tuesday.

## Borough Team Starts League Play Saturday

Davismen to Open Season at Gladwyne and Meet Upper Darby Sunday

Many Narberth fans are expected to journey to Gladwyne Saturday afternoon when the Merion Square community will dedicate its new playground. The attraction for the boroughites, however, will be Gene Davis' defending champions in their first league game of the season against the Gladwyne nine.

On Sunday the borough team plays Upper Darby at or near 69th street and, in fact, it will not be until the morning of Memorial Day that Narberth folk will have a chance to see their team in competition with clubs of league caliber. At that time Eddie Hare's Brookline contingent will be the visiting team.

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## Burgess Appoints Committee for Constitution Celebration

In compliance with a request from Sol Bloom, director general of the United States Constitution Sesqui-Centennial Commission, Burgess John R. Hall this week named Narberth's committee to aid in the observance which will be held in Philadelphia in September.

Henry A. Frye, borough solicitor, is chairman, and other members are William H. Fretz, president of borough council; Dr. LeRoy A. King, president, Narberth School Board; Frank J. Dwyer, commander, Harold D. Speakman Post, American Legion; Mrs. Edward W. Heymann, president, Women's Community Club; the Rev. R. E. Keighton, president, Narberth Library Association; the Rev. Cletus A. Senft, pastor of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church; the Rev. J. J. Hannigan, rector of St. Margaret's Church; Roy A. Gowland, president, Narberth Business Council; Salvatore Spinelli, president, Italian-American Club.

## Narberth Man New Leader of Founders and Patriots

William C. Claghorn, of Chestnut avenue, Narberth, was elected governor-general of the Order of the Founders and Patriots of America last Saturday at the organization's fortieth annual meeting in New Haven, Conn. He succeeds Col. Louis Amnir Ames, of New York.

A Wayne man, Edward T. Alexander, was chosen treasurer-general and Spencer Coles Herriek, of New York, secretary-general.

The Order has State societies in New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, District of Columbia, Illinois and California. Eligibility to membership is based on direct descent from a founder ancestor in the male line who settled in America before May 13, 1657.

## Baseball League Head Urges Teams' Support

Walter L. Hanley Tells Rotarians of Circuit's Problems and Aims

Problems of a baseball circuit were discussed before the Bala-Cynwyd-Narberth Rotary Club Tuesday at the Overbrook Golf Club when Walter Hanley, of Paoli, president of the Main Line Baseball League for the last decade, addressed the clubmen.

Holding that a good team is an asset to a community, he urged that support be given the league clubs who depend on voluntary contributions for their maintenance.

"The league has no financial resources, so the manager of each team must find the money to meet expenses somehow," he explained.

"Each club carries 25 players. That makes a total of 250 for the entire circuit. There are about 15 umpires, as well as groundkeepers, batboys and scorekeepers, to be taken care of.

"With 300 employees—many more than most businesses have—and expenses for equipment, transportation and so forth to pay, it takes a lot of money to keep the leagues going.

"I think a lot of credit is due many teams which remain active year after year in the face of heavy losses."

He traced the highlights in the league's 30-year history, and was emphatic in saying that the original goal, that of providing an outlet for the spirits of youngsters along the Main Line, was still paramount.

"Managers will always give preference to a local boy if he has the

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## Ira G. Fox, of Narberth, Chosen Bucknell's Senior Class President

Ira G. Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Fox, of 31 Narbrook Park, Narberth, was recently elected president of the senior class of Bucknell University, Lewisburg.

Fox was elected by the independent coalition student political party which made a virtual clean sweep of class elections. Only one office of ten, treasurer, was captured by the cooperative candidate.

Fox is enrolled in the Liberal Arts course and is majoring in English. He is affiliated with Kappa Sigma social fraternity, Christian Association, Men's Glee Club, Mixed Chorus and Student Handbook. He was a member of the freshman boxing and soccer squad during his freshman year. Fox is a graduate of Lower Merion High School.

### Coach Anderson's Auto Damaged

The automobile of William H. Anderson, basketball coach at Lower Merion High School, was badly damaged last Thursday when it was struck by the machine driven by H. G. Turner, of Wynnewood court, Narberth. Neither of the operators was injured. Turner, alleged to be under the influence of liquor, was held in \$500 bail for court by Magistrate Walter B. Lownes.

## Mrs. Whiting Rechosen President of P. T. A.; Mrs. Griest Secretary

Sports Authorities Give Advice on Boy's Participation in Athletics

### DON'T FORCE INTO GAMES

Mrs. Edmund Allen Whiting, was re-elected president of the Narberth Parent-Teacher Association of the Narberth Public School on Monday evening. Other officers re-elected were Mrs. Charles L. Viguers, Jr., first vice-president; Miss Faith McAuliffe, second vice-president and the Rev. Cletus Senft, treasurer.

The only new officer is Mrs. H. M. Griest, who was chosen secretary to succeed Mrs. H. M. Berry.

Mrs. Welsey P. Dunnington installed the officers that evening.

The Rev. Dr. Gibson Bell, rector of All Saints' Church, Wynnewood, opened the meeting with the Invocation, and Scout Bob Miller followed with a Salute to the Flag. Miss Fricke led the singing of the Narberth School songs and Mrs. W. J. Drennan was the accompanist.

John H. Jefferies, Jr., the first speaker, said that basketball, to him, was the most thrilling of all games. He also stated that while it was a game that could be played with ease nevertheless great care should be exercised so that the younger boys should not be overtaxed. He also cautioned parents who are sport fans not to try to force the boy who was not so inclined into any form of athletics. In regard to football he said that while this was undoubtedly the school and college game, great care should be taken in selecting the boy to play this game. He also advised that if a boy is interested one should give him all the help possible. To be a perfect athlete, a boy must have the gift of muscular co-ordination.

The second speaker was E. J. Pollock, sports editor of the *Evening Public Ledger*. He believes there is real character building in sports, for

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## Rod and Gun Club Committees Listed

Sportsmen's Organization to Award Prizes for Biggest Fish Caught

Committees to serve the Lower Merion Rod and Gun Club for 1937-38, as appointed by Charles H. A. Chain, president, were announced Wednesday night at the organization's meeting in the Legion Room of the Narberth Community Building.

Another announcement of interest was that prizes would be awarded to members catching the largest fish in these classes: Weakfish, flounder, small and large mouth bass, brook trout, striped bass, croaker, kingfish. The season starts now and ends in November.

The annual Spring outing of the club will be held at the farm of the Eastern Counties Protective Association, at Paoli, on May 29.

Entertainment was supplied by Deniston Berkey, of the General Motors Corporation, who showed talking pictures of the Michigan woods and of highways, both good and bad.

Committees appointed by President Chain are:

Ways and Means—Henry J. Moller, chairman; Robert W. Weber, Edward

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### Play Day—Today

This Friday the Narberth Public School will be open for parents to view the work of the pupils.

At 1 P. M. Play Day starts at the Narberth Playground with a May Day Circus sponsored by the P. T. A.

There will be ponies to ride, and other attractions. Ice cream, candy, cake for sale. By allowing your children some spending money you will assure them of having a good time and thus assist the Parent-Teacher Association.

There will also be a Plant Booth on the playground, where seedlings may be purchased and a White Elephant Booth. Mrs. Samuel K. Pruitt is in charge of these.

### New P. T. A. Secretary



—Photo by Bachrach.  
MRS. HAROLD M. GRIEST who on Monday night was elected secretary of the Narberth Parent-Teacher Association.

## Italian-Americans to Give Legion Tree

Club Also Aiding in Erecting Memorial; \$10 Donated for Carnival

At their regular monthly meeting last Thursday, the Narberth Italian-American Citizens' Club, had as guest J. A. Miller, of Narberth, who was made honorary member of the organization.

S. H. Spinelli, president of the club, announced that the club, through J. A. Miller, will donate one of the seven trees to be planted at the American Legion memorial in memory of the Narberth veterans. Members of the club have assisted the Legionnaires in their work in erecting the memorial, which will be dedicated on Decoration Day.

A proposal was also approved to contribute \$10 to the Italian Colonies for the Main Line Carnival to be held at the Devon Horse Show grounds for the benefit of the Bryn Mawr Hospital on June 13 to 20.

The club will hold its first annual picnic July 18, at the Rustic Park Picnic Grounds in Paoli. Friends of the club are invited to attend the outing and the committee in charge promises free dancing and entertainment.

The club also approved a proposal to allow the W. P. A. evening school in English the use of the clubroom for classes on Monday and Friday evenings each week. This school is conducted for the benefit of Italian-American citizens residing in Narberth.

## This Week-End Last Chance to Buy Benefit Tickets for Child Health Center

This week-end is the last chance to buy tickets for the movie benefit sponsored by the Women's Community Club of Narberth to raise funds for the Child Health Center of Narberth, for all money must be in by Monday noon.

The picture to be shown on Monday and Tuesday of next week is "The Maid of Salem," with Claudette Colbert, while that attractive musical picture "The King and the Chorus Girl," with Fernand Gravet, who is almost the image of the Duke of Windsor, as the king and Joan Blondell as the chorus girl, will be given next Thursday and Friday.

The Child Health Center is the main project of the Women's Club and has been maintained for a number of years by them. It is a great adjunct to the community as it brings health to the children of the community, prevents illness among the children and teaches prenatal care to the expectant mother.

Donald Kirk, of Woodside avenue, Narberth, suffered a fracture of the left leg, cuts and bruises about the face and body when he was thrown from the machine in which he was riding by its impact with a truck. The week-end accident occurred in East Whiteland Township, Chester County. He was taken to the hospital in West Chester.

In a collision at Belmont avenue and River road, Nicholas Caruso, of Jefferson street, West Manayunk, suffered lacerations of the chin.

## Parade Will Precede Presentation Address at Memorial Grouping

Many Organizations of Community Will Take Part in Day's Ceremonies

### POST MEETING MONDAY

Simplicity will mark the presentation of Narberth's Memorial Grouping, now nearing completion at the corner of Wynnewood and Windsor avenues.

In a brief address on May 31, Frank A. Schrepfer, in behalf of the Harold D. Speakman Post, American Legion, will present the grouping to the community. It will be accepted by Burgess John R. Hall. Mr. Schrepfer has had full charge of seeing that the memorial was built and installed.

Plans for the parade which will precede the presentation are virtually completed.

It will form in front of Elm Hall at 9 A. M. on Memorial Day and start on its route at 9:30.

Walter O'Sullivan, marshal, will bring a detachment of about sixty sailors from the Navy Yard and the John Winthrop Post's Junior Drum and Bugle Corps of Bryn Mawr has been engaged.

Besides the members of the Narberth post there will be marching units from the Bullock-Sanderson Post, Ardmore, and the Thomas D. Vandiver Post, Bala-Cynwyd.

Other organizations in the line of march will be the Gold Star Mothers, public and parochial school children, D. A. R. Chapters, Narberth Italian-American Club, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and the Narberth Fire Company's Mulieres and also its active firemen. Henry A. Doll, Narberth's surviving G. A. R. member, will be a guest of honor.

Over fifty members are expected to be enrolled in the Harold D. Speakman Post by Memorial Day, according to Charles J. Clarke, post adjutant. This represents nearly a 50 per cent increase over last year.

The May meeting of the post, at which final plans will be made for

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## Bill Muller Elected President of Players

His Opponent, John Flynn, Chosen Vice-President as Sticker Candidate

The Narberth Players Tuesday night heard two candidates for the presidency each make a speech indorsing his opponent for the office.

John Flynn's delivery was better than that of William H. Muller so the latter was elected, or perhaps it was because Muller had the backing of J. Bedford Wooley, former president of the organization.

Mr. Flynn's address so impressed members present at the meeting, in the Narberth School Auditorium, however, that he was nominated from the floor for vice president and won over the two candidates who had been selected by the nominating committee.

In a third contest, Katherine Trow-

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## Mulieres' Luncheon to Raise Funds for Sewing Machine

The Mulieres of the Narberth Fire Company will give a benefit luncheon of sandwiches and coffee followed by a card party at Elm Hall, June 2, at 12:30, to raise funds to purchase a sewing machine for the Narberth branch of the Needlework Guild, whose machine was stolen several months ago.

The patronesses for the affair are the president of the Mulieres, Mrs. Eberhardt Mueller, Mrs. Lloyd B. Edgerton, Mrs. Walter O'Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. John E. Burrell, Mrs. Charles Harnden, Mrs. Edith Gilpin, Mrs. Charles Haist, Mrs. Charles L. Viguers, Jr., Mrs. Lindley Trotter, Miss Laura M. Brown, Mrs. George Michener, Mrs. J. H. Baker, Mrs. E. B. Hoskins, Mrs. Ben Taylor, Mrs. Stanley Haigh, Mrs. Albert Nulty, Mrs. John Weitzell, Mrs. Frank X. Purcell, Mrs. Charles A. Hammer, Mrs. J. L. Minick, Mrs. William Mulholland, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. H. F. Darnes, Mrs. Joseph Berta, Mrs. Edward Haws and Mrs. Stewart Anderson.

Reservations for the party may be made with any of the above.



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## The Passing of Fairview

Fairview is on the way out—to join the nearly forgotten communities of Elm Station and Athensville.

The section of the General Wayne District in Lower Merion Township bounded by Mill Creek, Richter's Mill, Hagy's Ford and Conshohocken State roads, is, or rather was, known as Fairview.

Last week a news contributor to this newspaper telephoned an account of an event to be held at the Fairview Sunday School, Fairview. Two days later she notified the paper that the item should be changed to read, "Fairview Sunday School, Penn Valley."

It is just such minor incidents that spell the handwriting on the wall for old landmarks. Penn Valley, perhaps the fastest growing section in the township, simply will absorb Fairview in its stride. A few of the older residents will continue to distinguish it by the old name, but soon Fairview will be recalled only by the historians who tell us of Libertyville and Morgan's Corner.

But while many changes are made and accepted this question still remains unanswered: Is it Merion Square or Gladwyne?

## Health Board Tells of Anti-Diphtheria Fight

The Board of Health of Lower Merion Township, now conducting its annual drive against diphtheria, has issued the following article concerning prevention of that disease. Parents, especially those with young children, have been requested to give serious thought to the matter.

Diphtheria prevention is safe. In over one million injections given to children in New York City, no permanent harm has come to a single child. Your child is usually not made uncomfortable to any degree by the treatment. It leaves no scar and does not give as sore an arm as does small-pox vaccination. The younger the child, the less likely is there to be any discomfort. You therefore need not worry if you have your child protected: there is no risk.

Remember it is the young child that most needs the protection. Most babies over six months of age can catch the disease. Most diphtheria deaths occur in two-year-olds. Eighty per cent of diphtheria deaths are in those under five years of age. So see your family doctor at once, or, if you feel you cannot afford that small expense, take your child, if under school age, to the nearest Health Centre of the Community Health and Civic Association.

This is the last announcement in the present Diphtheria Prevention Campaign. The response of the public has been most gratifying and the Board of Health takes this opportunity to express its sincere thanks for the splendid co-operation of the citizens of the community, the press, the motion picture theatres and the medical profession in this effort to wipe out this disease in our township.

To those of you who have not yet acted, a final reminder, a final plea: Are you being fair to your child?

Board of Health, Lower Merion Township.

## C. W. Bates Suffers Attack

Clifford W. Bates, of N. Narberth avenue, Narberth, who was stricken with a heart attack at his office on Monday, is recovering slowly.

The Penn Valley Garden Club will meet Monday at 10.30 A. M. at the home of Miss Fanny Loos, Haverford avenue, Narberth.

Miss Nina Rich, of Belfast, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel K. White, of South Bowman avenue.

## Voters Must Register Again Under New Law

All Previous Lists Thrown Out by Recent Action of State Legislature

The Permanent Personal Registration Act passed recently by the State Legislature makes it compulsory for every person in this State to register before he can vote again.

All previous registration lists, which have been compiled by registry assessors, are thrown out under this new law and it is necessary for all voters to register personally before the Fall primaries in September.

Registration days, the dates of which will be announced later, will be set aside by the County Commissioners in June, July and August. Each voter will have to go in person to the polling place in his voting district and personally register.

## Autocar Lowest Bidder Asks School Bus Order

In a letter to the Lower Merion School Board Monday night, H. M. Coale, of Cynwyd, vice-president and sales manager of the Autocar Company, Ardmore, cited six reasons why his company should be given the order for two school buses.

Bids for buses were opened at the meeting of the board Monday night. The Mack Company bid was \$9790 for the school bus chassis, less an allowance of \$800 for chassis for trade-ins, making a net bid of \$8990.

The bid turned in by the Autocar was \$12,000 for bus chassis, less a trade-in allowance and special local discount of \$3250 for chassis. This made the net bid \$8750, or \$240 less than the Mack.

Besides referring to the company's position as lowest bidder, the letter points out that the Autocar is the largest single taxpayer in the district and the largest employer of labor, including many Lower Merion graduates.

## Cynwyd Resident Made Head of Phila. Office Association

E. L. Schwartz, of 54 Overhill road, Cynwyd, was elected president of the Philadelphia Chapter of the National Office Management Association at the annual meeting held last week.

Schwartz, who moved to Cynwyd a year and a half ago, is manager of the Philadelphia division office of the Gulf Oil Corporation.

He is an active member of numerous organizations including the National Association of Cost Accountants, the Penn Athletic Club, the One Hundred Club, and the West Philadelphia lodge of the Knights of Columbus.

## Appeal for Variance on Cynwyd Property Will be Heard Thurs.

At the public hearings to be conducted by the Lower Merion Board of Adjustment next Thursday, an appeal for a variance will be sought by Adam Builders, Inc.

They seek permission to construct a single family dwelling on their property at the southwest corner of Llandrillo road and Trevor lane, Cynwyd. The property is located in a "B" residence zone and the front, rear and side yards are not of the required depths and widths.

## Miss Darter to be June Bride

The wedding of Miss Sarah Pauline Darter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Darter, of Cynwyd, and Mr. Richard A. Furniss, of Philadelphia, will take place June 18 at half after four o'clock, in the Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Andrew Mutch will perform the ceremony, assisted by Dr. Rex Stowers Clements.

Miss Lacy Darter, sister of the bride, will be maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will be Miss Donna Furniss, of Battle Creek, Mich.; Miss Jean Dix, of New Haven, Conn.; Miss Eleanor Rugh, Miss Dorothy Ferriera and Miss Helen Ulrich, of Philadelphia.

## Cynwyd Club Dance Tomorrow

The Cynwyd Club will present its monthly dance tomorrow night with the popular Mazda Lane Orchestra. The Entertainment Committee, headed by Mr. and Mrs. E. Harmon Friel, is featuring a "Two-Two Dance."

Mrs. Bradford Troutman, of South Narberth avenue, is leaving the end of the week for the University of Alabama, to attend the graduation exercises when her son, Mr. Holmes Troutman, graduates from the University on May 25.

## Republican Council Closes Year With Successful Bridge and Tea

The Bridge and Tea given by the Lower Merion-Narberth Council of Republican Women Tuesday was attended by about two hundred members and guests.

Held at the Deanery, Bryn Mawr College, the final affair on the Council program was highly successful. Mrs. H. Tatnall Brown, chairman of Entertainment, served as chairman of the Bridge, and assisting her were the following chairmen: Miss Margaret Benade, prizes; Mrs. John Twaddell, tables; Mrs. William Edsall, cakes and candies; Mrs. Helen G. Greenwood, arrangements.

Mrs. John Y. Huber, Jr., president of the Council, was in charge of the lucky number awards which were won by the following:

Mrs. Ralph Boericke, Mrs. G. Arnold Barton, Mrs. P. C. Haldeman, Mrs. Harold C. Dripps, Mrs. Charles

Brown, Mrs. W. W. Light, Miss Beatrice MacGeorge, Mrs. Clara Winters, Mrs. John Gray, Mrs. Ralph White, Mrs. Charles Flood, Mrs. W. P. Klapp, Mrs. J. L. Canby, Mrs. C. B. Caruthers, Mrs. F. D. Metzler, Mrs. A. B. Roop, Mrs. Frank A. Wills, Mrs. I. P. Miller, Mrs. Grace Groo, Mrs. John Haynes, Mrs. William R. Matchett, Mrs. E. W. Tully, Mrs. Frank Gordon, Mrs. Elmer Binns.

The twenty-four prizes, donated by generous merchants and Council members included vases, pottery, cocktail tray and glasses, wine decanters, linen breakfast set, linen blouse, handkerchiefs, books, azalea plant, cigarette box, stockings, cigarettes, and many other attractive prizes.

Tea was poured by Mrs. Henry Woolman, Mrs. George Pettinos, Sr., Mrs. Wilson Moorehouse, Mrs. Walter Supplee, Mrs. Morris Green, Mrs. J. F. Scull and Mrs. Fred Peters.

## Survey and Recommendations of L. M. Planning Commission

### HISTORY

The place of history in a township plan is important, since a knowledge of the traditions of a community and the customs of its people is necessary for the successful planning of its future. The outline of the history of Lower Merion Township, here presented, is compiled from a variety of sources believed to be authentic.

**Exploration and Early Claims**  
When the first white men visited the region, Lower Merion was occupied by various tribes of the Unami Indians, branches of the Leni Lenape. While their villages were probably located between the rivers in what is now Philadelphia, it may be assumed that they hunted, fished, travelled and perhaps planted some grain in Lower Merion.

An early struggle took place between the Dutch and the Swedes for control of the region. Dutch claims were based upon the explorations of Captain Henry Hudson, who entered the mouth of the Delaware in 1609, and a voyage up the river in 1616 by Captain Hendricksen. It is from the latter that the Schuylkill River, bounding the Township on the north and east, received its name. The

"Schuil-Kil" or "Hidden River" was so named by Captain Hendricksen because its mouth was so concealed by low islands that he did not see it until his return down the Delaware.

The Dutch, in 1633, and the Swedes, in 1638, began sporadic settlements along the Delaware. The Swedes carried on a flourishing trade in beaver skins with the Indians. They are said to have ventured up the Schuylkill as far as Norristown to seek these skins and thus to have been the first white men to know the Lower Merion of today. In 1655, Peter Stuyvesant entered the field against the Swedes and established Dutch sovereignty over the Delaware River region.

Dutch control continued until the fall of New Amsterdam (New York) to the English in 1664 and a subsequent expedition to the Delaware Colony under command of Sir Robert Carr. In 1673, the Dutch regained control but the treaty of Westminster a year later saw the claims of England entirely established. Permanent settlement of Lower Merion and the Colony, however, began only after William Penn received his grant of lands in the new world from Charles II on March 4, 1681.

## History of Woman's Club Records 25 Years' Civic and Social Progress

On May 22, 1912, nine women meeting at the home of Mrs. Leonidas Beck to form a woman's club, elected Mrs. Beck the first president. The object of this group was to create a center of thought and action for civic betterment, for social progress and for the highest and best in art and literature.

A very interesting fact about the Woman's Club of Bala-Cynwyd is that its first president was also the first president of the Montgomery County Federation. She was a great worker and believer in Federation for the betterment of the clubs as a whole as well as individuals.

One of the first objects of the club was to form a public library, and after some work the School District donated the use of one of the rooms in the old Academy School building in the rear of the present Cynwyd School. Books and donations of money were gathered together by the club women, and the library grew rapidly.

In 1927 the present attractive building was built with funds collected from the community by the club women, and presented to the Library Association for use as a public library as a memorial to those men who lost their lives in the service of our country in the World War.

The club still contributes to the library for the purchase of new books each year.

From the early days of the club various methods were used to raise money for the building fund, and one of the most successful was the organization of a tiny tea room, "The Tea Box," run by members who cooked and served teas and luncheons.

In one year alone, 1922, the club cleared \$1400 at the Tea Box and in five years raised over \$5000. The first club rummage sale was held in 1922 at which over \$1400 was made.

In June of 1923 a lawn fete was held at which the profits were \$1200. In 1922 or 1923, under the chairmanship of Mrs. E. C. Jacoby, a recital was held in the foyer of the Academy of Music at which \$1800 was made for the piano fund.

In 1925 the club held a campaign

for funds for the building of the library and clubhouse, and in three days over \$38,000 was pledged. This campaign was held during the presidency of Mrs. Samuel Stevenson, and Mrs. Isaac Kershaw was chairman of the drive, with Mrs. Walter Supplee as vice-chairman.

In 1922, the lot where the present buildings stand was purchased, during the presidency of Mrs. Isaac Kershaw, and in 1927, during the presidency of Mrs. Walter Supplee, the clubhouse was completed.

This building is used for all club functions, both senior and junior, for the Red Cross, Needlework Guild and the Social Service League without charge. It is also a center for many social and community projects.

In 1922 the club started to serve hot lunches in the school cafeterias and members of the club went each day to serve these lunches to the children who came from too far to return home at noon. This continued until the School Board took over the work.

The Bala-Cynwyd Social Service League is an outgrowth of the Social Service Department of the Woman's Club, and this department continues to be the mainstay of the league.

By far the greatest part of the funds put out by the club is for the Social Service work, and many of the members give a large part of their time to this work.

The club contributes to the support of the Holiday House, the County Scholarship Fund, the Girl Scouts, the Philadelphia Hospital, the Bowman Hill Wildflower Preserve, the West Manayunk Home Gardens, the Public Charities Association, the Community Health and Civic Association, the Police Pension Fund, the Community Fourth of July celebration and the Union Fire Association.

The club continues to grow and to develop along many lines of art, literature, drama, music, education, international relations, current events, conservation, etc., and the membership has increased from the original nine to 315 in 1937, not counting its large and progressive junior branch of approximately 150 young women.

## "Seventh Heaven" at Narberth; "Maid of Salem" Mon., Tues.

"Seventh Heaven," one of the most dramatic love stories ever filmed, stars Simone Simon and James Stewart in the romance that brought Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell to film fortune in the silent version a decade ago. Stewart, in the picture now at the Narberth Theatre, is a sewer-worker in Paris who protects Simone from the police. Their pledge to each other is kept all during the time Stewart is away in the war. An added attraction is Walt Disney's "Country Cousins."

"Maid of Salem" Monday and Tuesday, has Claudette Colbert accused of witchcraft in this New England town in 1692. Fred MacMurray is the man who saves her from the gallows.

"Espionage," Wednesday (Cash Award Night), is a melodrama in which Madge Evans, a girl reporter, and Edmund Lowe, an opposition journalist, encounter each other on the Oriental Express while assigned to cover Paul Lukas, munitions maker.

"The King and the Chorus Girl," with Fernand Gravet, will be the feature next week-end.

## Morning Hours at Library Prove Boon to Borrowers

The Narberth Library Association Tuesday night held its final monthly meeting until September, with The Rev. Robert E. Keighton, president, presiding.

Reports indicated that the inauguration of morning hours at the library is being appreciated by the public. In the last month about 200 members have taken advantage of the morning schedule, resulting in an increased circulation of books.

## Narberth Bridge Club

The Individual Tournament closed last Wednesday evening and the winners for the entire tournament were: Top, Walter Harris; second, William Thompson. Winners for individual scores that evening were: Top, Dr. Mark Morgan; second, Mrs. Mark Morgan.

May 13: Top score, Mrs. H. I. McConnell and Mrs. C. A. Hammer.

May 15: Top, C. Alfred Peeney and William Thompson; second place, Arthur Cooney and Roy Greenwood.

May 17: Top, Arthur Cooney and H. I. McConnell; second, C. A. Hammer and William Brown.



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## County League Plans All-Day Meeting Wed.

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The Montgomery County League of Women Voters will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Henderson Supplee, Port Kennedy.

The meeting will open at 11 A. M. with a brief business meeting and reports of the State Convention by county delegates.

At 12, Mrs. John Y. Huber, Jr., will present a resume of current legislation. The meeting will adjourn for a box luncheon at 12.30 P. M.

At the afternoon session, Mrs. Maurice N. Weyl, State chairman of Government and International Co-operation, will discuss recent neutrality legislation and Mrs. Willis T. Spivey, State chairman of Government and Economic Welfare, will present an explanation of items on the program adopted at the State convention.

Those interested in attending should get in touch with the president of the local branch, Mrs. J. Aidan Tift, of Merion.

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## THE FIRESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Smith, Sr., of E. Orange, N. J., are the guests for a week of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Smith, of Lantwyn lane.

Mrs. J. B. Ballingall, of the Avon Apartments, returned this week from a several weeks' visit in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Giles, of Lantwyn lane, have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Giles, of Madison, Wisconsin, who have recently returned on the S. S. Bremen from a Mediterranean cruise. They will spend several weeks in Narberth.

Mrs. Verna R. Woodcock and her sons, Mr. John Woodcock and Master Dick Woodcock, left last Friday for Baltimore, where they met Miss Louise Woodcock, who is a student at Hood College. They spent the week-end cruising on the Chesapeake Bay to celebrate the thirteenth birthday of Master Dick Woodcock.

Mrs. Joseph A. Hongler, of Merion avenue, chairman of the Hospitality Committee of the Women's Community Club of Narberth, entertained the members of her committee at luncheon at Cameo Cottage in Bala, on Monday, followed by bridge at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Cooke, of Bridgewater, N. H., formerly of Narberth, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, Robert William Cooke, on April 7.

Friends of Mrs. Ralph D. MacGuffin, of Merion, will be glad to learn that she is recovering from an operation performed at the Jefferson Hospital last Wednesday.

Mrs. Edward Corrigan, of Narberth Hall, entertained the members of her club at bridge last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Dennis, of Anthwyn road, Merion, spent the week-end in Ocean City.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel K. Kline, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. R. E. Harsch, also of Washington, arrived Thursday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Woolmington, of Narbrook Park, for a week. They are attending the Northern Baptist Convention in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Herbert B. Price, of Merwyn road, will spend the week-end in Baltimore when she will attend the marriage of her niece, Miss Nancy Phillips, to the Reverend James Moore, at the Presbyterian Church, Mount Washington, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Price will have as their guests next week, Mrs. Price's mother and sister, Mrs. George H. Elmer and Mrs. Florence E. Woodland, of Baltimore, who will arrive next Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth B. Clark, of Chestnut avenue, had as their guest over the week-end, Miss Nancy Roorback, of Cape May Court House, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark and their family will spend the week-end at their cottage in Stone Harbor, N. J.

Miss Olive Bates, who is a student at Wilson College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford W. Bates, of N. Narberth avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Levis, of Hampden avenue, have as their guests this week, Mrs. J. H. Chickering, Mrs. E. R. Frost and Mrs. C. R. Bryant, of Dover, Mass., who are on their way home from a trip to Washington, D. C., and through Virginia.

Mrs. Leroy Douglass, of Winnetaka, Ill., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lindley Trotter, of Woodside avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lafore, of Penn Valley Farms, Penn Valley, will entertain at a buffet supper May 28 following the rehearsal for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Helen A. Lafore, to Mr. Edward Forstall, son of Mr. Walton Forstall, of Rosemont, which will take place on the following day at Penn Valley Farms.

## Girl Scout News

Troop 202, Overbrook, with Mrs. Thomas Kane as captain, had their first supper hike at the last meeting. Seventeen girls were present. The girls practiced firebuilding and then put the fires to good use and cooked an excellent dinner. On Tuesday one half of the troop visited the Griscom Bird Sanctuary. They carried a "nosebag" lunch. The other half will make this tour this Tuesday.

Miss Christine Mahl, of Narberth, will be the director of Camp Gray Beech, Wading River, Long Island, this summer. This camp is under the Nassau Council of the Girl Scouts, Inc.

The monthly leaders' meeting held at the Ardmore Presbyterian Church was of unusual interest. Both leaders and Troop Committee chairmen were present. Supper was served by Mrs. W. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. John H. Gold, of Narberth, members of the Troop Committee for Narberth Troop

47, Mrs. Theodore Stieber, captain. Peggy Henshaw, Mary McHale and Delvise Lazerine, Girl Scouts, served the meal. Miss Madeline Brown, captain, and Miss Mathilda Atmeyer, Troop Committee member, represented Oakmont Troop 268; Mrs. W. Cathcart and Mrs. Homer Eachus came for Merion; Mrs. R. Falkenhagen and Miss Emma Croasdale, captain, Cynwyd Troop 44; Mrs. Theodore Stieber, Mrs. W. Fitzpatrick, and Mrs. John H. Gold, Narberth 47; Mrs. C. Stanley Rogers and Mrs. Guy L. Corman for Ardmore 93, Mrs. Walter Walleigh, Ardmore 167; Mrs. Thomas Kane and Mrs. Stella G. Wallis, Overbrook 202; Misses Natalie and Caroline Beyer, Merion; Mrs. F. N. Floyd, Merion 230; Miss Betty Seasholtz, Narberth 8, were present at the meeting.

## Boy Scout Notes

**Camp Delmont Plans Announced**  
Plans for the 1937 season at Camp Delmont, summer playground for scouts of the Valley Forge Council, have been announced in a bulletin issued from headquarters this week.

Five plans of organization for the troop have been suggested, any one of which may be used. The Natural Troop plan, as far as resource will permit, allows each troop to conduct its camping as a unit. An individual program of scoutcraft, handicraft, hiking or advancement may be maintained, thus providing an opportunity for each troop to conduct its camping in the most profitable manner. The Neighborhood Troop plan provides for the combining of scouts from several troops from one neighborhood into one temporary camping unit which will function after the manner of the Natural Troop. If troops wish to camp on Delmont property but not participate in camp activities, or eat in the general mess hall, they may do so by applying under the Standard Troop plan. The Provisional plan is conducted for the benefit of those scouts who will attend camp without their troops. The Lone Troop Camp plan is for those troops who are planning to camp at some other location than Delmont property. So that health and safety may be protected, the Local and National Councils require that application shall first be made to headquarters.

The opening date for Camp Delmont is set at July 3, and the season will continue for six weeks until August 14. Under competent leadership and supervision, scouts will enjoy swimming, canoeing, archery and other healthful sports. Improved facilities for handicraft and nature work will make this branch of the camp more profitable. Capacity attendance is expected each camp week, and scouts have been urged to apply for reservations as early as possible.

**Scouts Set for Camporee**  
This Saturday and Sunday will see the gathering of the crack camping patrols from troops of the Valley Forge Council at Artillery Park in

Valley Forge, where they will compete in the annual camporee. Registration for participation have been greater this year than ever before and a record turnout is expected.

## Merion Notes

Mrs. Richard Darlington, of Baird road, will entertain the members of her club at luncheon and bridge next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Macbeth, of Beacom lane, have as their guest Mr. Macbeth's mother, Mrs. Madge Macbeth, of Ottawa, Canada, who has been spending some time in New Orleans and Mexico. On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Macbeth and their guest will go to Atlantic City, where they will spend several days at Colton Manor.

Mrs. Warren Batroff, of Upland road, is entertaining the members of her club at luncheon and bridge this Friday.

Roy E. Murphy, of Stoneway lane, of the I. P. E. Circuit Breaker Company, is attending a conference at Hot Sulphur Springs, Va.

Mrs. Murphy has as her guest for several days Mrs. Clifton Jett, of Germantown.

Mrs. George Sharp Munson, of Latches lane and Raynham road, has returned from New York where she spent several days at the Ritz-Carlton.

Richard McFarland, of Sycamore road, has issued invitations for a Treasure Hunt on Saturday at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Krumrine, of Raynham road, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Jane Krumrine, on May 12. Mrs. Krumrine is the former Miss Jane Gilfillan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gilfillan, of Overbrook.

Mrs. Richard A. Kern, of Woodley road, gave a cocktail party at the University Club on Saturday for the members of the Women's Overseas League, who attended the Conference of the Third Corp Area.

Mrs. William West, of Latches lane, has returned from New York, where she spent several days at the Welin.

## Miss Rankin to Wed in June

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Rankin, of Narbrook Park, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lucy May Rankin, and Mr. William D. Rogers, of Toronto, Canada.

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## Church Notes

### Narberth Methodist Episcopal

Rev. W. Vernon Middleton, Minister

Sunday, May 23:

9.45 A. M.—Church school.

11 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon: "Pentecost and the Captive Soul."

3.30 P. M.—Junior Epworth League.

6.45 P. M.—Intermediate Epworth League.

7.45 P. M.—Evening worship. Sermon: "Wesley's Great Objective."

Tuesday, May 25:

8 P. M.—Sunshine Bible Class meeting.

Wednesday, May 26:

8 P. M.—Prayer meeting.

Thursday, May 27:

6.30 P. M.—Junior choir rehearsal.

8 P. M.—Choir rehearsal.

### The Presbyterian Church

Rev. Archer E. Anderson, Pastor

Sunday:

9.45 A. M.—Bible school.

11 A. M.—Morning worship. Dr. Anderson will preach the first of a series of three sermons for this June's student graduates.

11 A. M.—The junior church, conducted by Mrs. Digby and Mrs. Cooke.

11 A. M.—Children's nursery, under the supervision of Mrs. Gilfillan.

6.45 P. M.—The three Christian Endeavor groups.

7.45 P. M.—Narberth's happy Bible hour. Sermon by the pastor.

Tuesday:

8.15 P. M.—Community Bible class.

Wednesday:

8 P. M.—Prayer meeting.

### Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Rev. Cletus A. Senft, Pastor

Margaret Squier, Organist

Trinity Sunday

May 23, 1937:

9.45 A. M.—Bible school.

11 A. M.—The annual congregational memorial service. Theme: "The Great God."

6.45 P. M.—Luther Leagues.

Monday to Thursday, the East Pennsylvania Synod will meet in convention in Tabernacle Church, 59th and Spruce streets.

Friday:

7.45 P. M.—Choir rehearsal.

Sunday, May 30, the American Legion Post will be the guests of the congregation.

### Baptist Church of the Evangel

Robert E. Keighton, Minister

Stanley T. Reiff, Organist

Sunday, May 23:

9.45 A. M.—The church school.

11 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon: "The Way of Privilege."

7 P. M.—The young people's meeting. Leader: Nancy Simpson.

Monday, May 24:

8 P. M.—Monthly meeting of the Men's Association. A social evening for all.

Wednesday, May 26:

8 P. M.—Mid-week meeting of the church. A discussion class led by the pastor.

Friday, May 28:

8.15 P. M.—"Tom Sawyer." Mark Twain's immortal comedy. A three-act play given by the young people in the church. Tickets are thirty-five cents.

### Hedgerow Schedule Includes

Many Popular Productions

Tonight's offering at Hedgerow Theatre, Moylan, is Bernard Shaw's "Candida," which Katherine Cornell has just brought to Philadelphia.

Tomorrow night, the Piscator version of Theodore Dreiser's "An American Tragedy" will be shown.

The attractions next week include some of Hedgerow's most praised productions beginning with the new Andre Obey's "Noah" on Monday.

Tuesday's offering is William Shakespeare's comedy "Twelfth Night," and "The Plough and the Stars," Sean O'Casey's great Irish play, is scheduled for Wednesday night.

Lennox Robinson's "The Round Table," and Bernard Shaw's "Androcles and the Lion" together with "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets" play Thursday and Friday.



### Library Receives Notable Gifts

The Narberth Community Library has received several noteworthy gifts recently.

"The Mocking Bird" by Charles Eugene Claghorn, of Narberth, has been presented to the library by Mrs. A. L. Horst. Mr. Claghorn's book depicts briefly and in an interesting manner the life and diary of Septimus Winner, that writer of popular songs who was known to his contemporaries as Alice Hawthorne.

Mr. Claghorn, himself, has presented the library with an autograph and portrait of William Gladstone. These have been framed for the library by Robert Fellows Wood, and with an air photograph of Narberth, and an enlarged picture of the library, form an interesting group in the Reference and Reading Room.

"A Small House in the Sun" by Samuel Chamberlain, is another gift from Mr. Wood in memory of his mother. It is a very fine collection of photographs of New England, and particularly of New England architecture.

"Wilderness Road" by Katharine Clugston, from Richard Stevenson's radio story of the same name, winner of a prize offered by the Federation of Women's Clubs for the best radio program for children, has also been placed in the library.

Add to these other gifts, five new books in the International Mind Allevote sent by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace:

"Moslem Women" by Ruth F. Woodsmall, is an account of the new freedom being acquired so miraculously by the women of the Near East.

"Daughter of the Nohfu" by E. I. Sugimoto, a novel about Japan, is already known to some of the Narberth borrowers, but its endorsement by the "Allevote" will probably mean a renewed interest in the book.

"Guatemala" by Erna Fergusson, rounds out the library's collection of books about Latin America. The book reveals the social life of the Guatemalans as well as the physical beauties of the country.

"Democracy in Denmark" by Goldmark and Hollman and the "American As He Is" by Nicholas Murray Butler, are two books that should be read together, for the second book is a collection of lectures delivered by Mr. Butler at the University of Copenhagen in Denmark many years ago.

### Relief Load Unchanged Here

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BEGINNING at a point in the middle line of Beacom Avenue (45 ft. wide) 727.93 ft. north 63 deg., 15 min., 50 sec. east from a spike in the middle line of Wynnewood Avenue (50 ft. wide); thence by land now or late Charles L. Lagen north 26 deg., 44 min., 10 sec. west 173.23 ft. to a point in line of land of

thence by last mentioned land north 64 deg., 21 min., 40 sec. east 76.014 ft. to a point, a corner of this land now or late of Edward H. Godshalk; thence along last mentioned land south 26 deg., 44 min., 10 sec. east 171.78 ft. to the middle of said Beacom Avenue; thence along the middle line of Beacom Avenue south 63 deg., 15 min., 50 sec. west 76 ft. to the place of beginning.

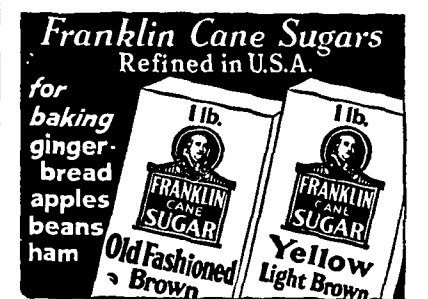
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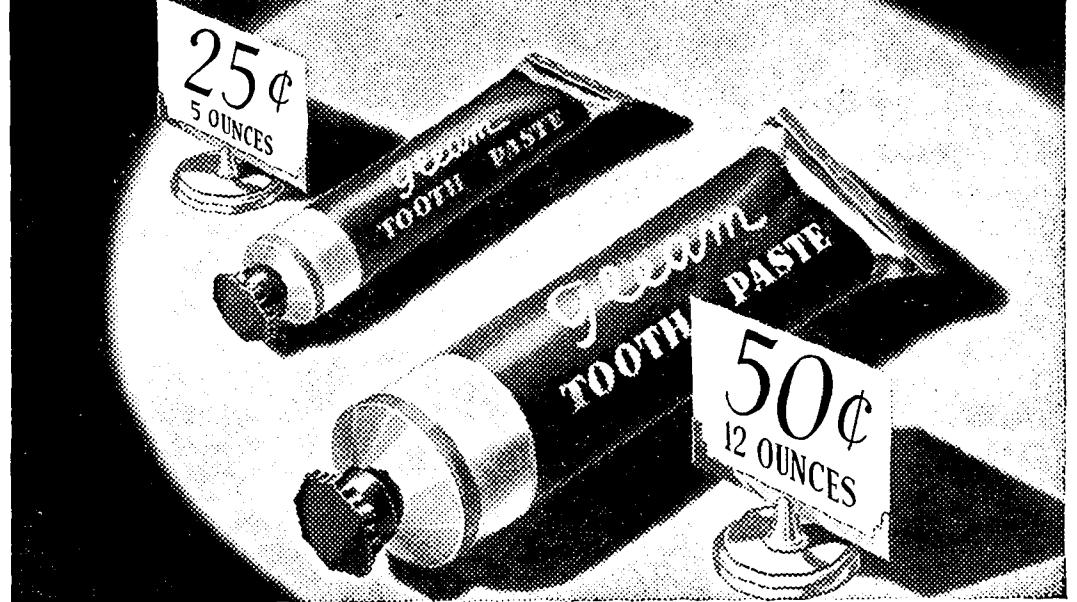
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## Merion Civic Will Meet Wednesday for Election

### Annual Meeting to Feature Reports From Community Organizations

The annual meeting of the Merion Civic Association will be held Wednesday night at 8.30 o'clock, at the Merion War Tribute House, Merion.

The president, Clarence E. Hall, will preside at the business meeting when the annual reports will be read and a resume given by the heads of various organizations on the work done during the past year.

Following the report of the nominating committee by the chairman, T. Dun Belfield, the election of officers will take place. Mr. Belfield is also president of the Community Association.

The invited guests will include Julius Ziegler, president of the Lower Merion Board of Commissioners; E. E. Burlingame, president of the Lower Merion Board of Education, and S. E. Downs, Superintendent of Schools.

Music will be supplied by three artists from Curtis Institute.

Reports from Merion organizations will be given by the following: Merion Community Association, T. Dun Belfield, president; American Legion, Merion Post, Howard H. McConnell, commander; Girl Scout Troops 18, 207, 230, Miss Natalie Beyer, chairman of the Troop Committee of Girl Scouts; Community Fund, Merion Division, Thomas Leo Kane; Boy Scouts, William E. Ferguson, Scoutmaster; Needlework Guild, Mrs. Frederick Stanger, president; Merion Branch, League of Women Voters, Mrs. J. Aldan Tiff, president.

The officers of the Civic Association include Clarence E. Hall, president; A. Balfour Brehman, Dr. Richard A. Kern, vice presidents; Mrs. P. E. Matthes, secretary; William H. Folwell, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunlap Gilfillan, of Lansdowne, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, Robert Dunlap Gilfillan, Jr., on April 25. Mrs. Gilfillan is the former Miss Sarah Farquhar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Farquhar, of St. Davids.

## Park Board Announced for Montgomery Co.

Creation of a Park Board of five members to study the recreational needs of Montgomery County was announced last week. Membership of the board was made public by County Commissioners Fred C. Peters, Foster C. Hillegass and James W. Potter.

The Board will be the first of its kind to serve in Montgomery and places the county to the fore in the park and planning movement now gaining slow impetus through the Members of the Board and their terms follow:

George Horace Lorimer, Editor, Wynecote, five years; Adolf Muller, Nurseryman, Norristown, four years; Thomas W. Sears, Landscape Architect, Ardmore, three years; Charles J. Custer, Publisher, Pottstown, two years, and Francis R. Taylor, Attorney, Cheltenham, one year.

Purpose of the park group will be to make a "survey of the county to determine needs, if any, for parks and parkways in the future."

Membership of the Board will bring together five men with backgrounds designed to further the development of recreational areas throughout the county.

Mr. Sears, of Ardmore, is a Fellow of the American Society of Landscape Architects. During the World War, he designed two cantonments for the United States War Department. For a number of years he prepared the general plan for the Philadelphia Flower Show.

It was pointed out by the Commissioners in creating the Board that Montgomery County must be alert to safeguard its natural resources and protect its wealth of park areas from the encroachment of the Philadelphia population.

By determining trends of population and where built-up areas will occur in the near future, the County Commissioners, by authority granted them by law, may either purchase land or acquire it by gift and save a large future cost.

It was also stressed that the Park Board would not plunge immediately into definite action. Surveys, now under way, will be considered and planning work throughout the county will be tied in through their efforts.

You will find helpful hints in the ads. Read them.

## Bride This Saturday



MISS VYONNE W. FISHER of Merion road, Merion, whose marriage to Mr. Charles Everett Shinn, of Bala, will take place this Saturday.

## Charles Everett Shinn Will Marry Vyonne W. Fisher Tomorrow at Oaks Church

The marriage of Miss Vyonne W. Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omar D. Fisher, of 509 Merwyn road, Merion, to Mr. Charles Everett Shinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Shinn, of Maple avenue, Bala, will take place quietly at noon this Saturday in the St. Paul Memorial Church at Oaks.

Miss Fisher, who will be attended by Miss Polly Uhler, of Philadelphia, as maid of honor, will wear a gown of beige crepe with a cape decorated with narrow brown trimming. Her hat and shoes will also be of brown and she will carry a bouquet of talisman roses. Miss Uhler will wear a gown of rust crepe with matching hat and shoes. She will also carry roses of a deeper shade.

Mr. Whittemore Shinn, will act as best man for his brother.

A small reception will follow at the home of the bride's parents.

Upon their return from a wedding trip to the South, Mr. Shinn and his bride will reside in E. Orange, N. J. They will be at home after July 1.

## BROOKLINE CLUB OPEN

Tennis, Badminton and Swimming Featured at Country Club

The Brookline Country Club, anticipating an unusually large patronage this season, has made extensive improvements. The twelve regulation tennis courts are in excellent condition, while the outdoor swimming pool has been completely redecorated, and is now said to be one of the most attractively equipped and most hygienic pools in this part of the country.

Gene McGowan, assistant pro at the Penn. A. C. for three years, and pro at the Huntingdon Valley Country Club, has charge of the tennis and badminton, and when the pool opens on May 29, well-known guards from local universities will be in charge.

Many clubs, high schools, fraternities and other organizations have booked dates at Brookline for dances, banquets, outings, dance recitals and parties, taking advantage of the spacious ballroom, dining rooms, porches and grounds.

The club's new managers are George L. Carley and J. Raymond Sharp, of Narberth, who are devoting their attention to the continued improvement of the many facilities at Brookline. The managers have expressed their appreciation of the many favorable comments received.

## Physician Buys Cynwyd Home

Harris & Bunting report the sale of the residence of Mrs. Josephine P. Muhly, containing eighteen rooms with three baths, together with two-car garage, situated on the southwest corner of Derwen and Conshohocken State roads, consisting of about one and a half acres. After alterations are completed and representing a total investment of \$30,000, the property will be occupied as the home of the purchaser, Dr. J. Harold Austin.

## Wins \$200 at Narberth

Continuous attendance for several weeks at Wednesday's Cash Award Nights at the Narberth Theatre returned its reward this week for Miss Mae Emrick, a nurse, of 202 Windsor avenue, Narberth. When her name was called she calmly walked up the aisle and collected the \$200 award.

## Receiving Congratulations

Mr. and Mrs. George Elton Snyder, Jr., of Narberth, are being congratulated upon the birth of a son on May 9.

Mrs. Snyder was Miss Frances Lux, daughter of Mrs. Frances Weeks Lux, of Rosemont.

## Circus Arrives Monday With New Attractions

### Ringling Bros and Barnum and Bailey Opening Week's Stay in Philadelphia

The Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey combined circus arrives in Philadelphia Monday for a week's stay.

On May 31, it opens at Sixty-ninth and Market streets, where it will remain through June 2.

This year, the circus will feature many new foreign attractions, including a spectacular feature "India," with a cast of 2000 people and animals participating in its brilliant pageantry.

In aerial and equestrian displays, the "Greatest Show on Earth" has outdone itself this year, while the ground acrobatic numbers are said to be the largest and finest ever presented.

Heading the scores of new foreign features are The Great Aloys, aerial thrillers; the Magyars, Europe's mightiest troupe of somersaulting stars; the famed William Heyer, Holland's great horse trainer and his wonder horses; the Maysy-Brach troupe of aerial unicycle marvels.

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The circus will arrive on four long trains of 100 double length, steel railroad cars, carrying 1600 people, 50 elephants, 1009 menagerie animals and 700 horses.

## Miss Marscher Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Marscher, of Haverford avenue, Narberth, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hazel Marscher, and Mr. John Alexander Crockett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander H. Crockett, of King of Prussia.

Miss Marscher is a graduate of Friends' Central School and attended Harcum College.

Mr. Crockett is a graduate of George School and Duke University.

The marriage will take place next month.

## Mrs. Sophia A. Connell

Funeral services for Mrs. Sophia A. Connell were held yesterday afternoon from the residence of her son, Edward H. Connell, 26 Woodside avenue, Narberth, with interment private.

Mrs. Connell, who was 80, died at her son's home Monday following a long illness. Formerly a resident of West Philadelphia, she was the widow of Terence G. Connell, who died in 1924. Her husband played big league baseball with Philadelphia and Chicago in the 1890's.

Her son, who is district manager for a New York upholstery fabrics firm, is her only survivor.

## Edith Brook Turner

Edith Brook Turner, wife of Cyril P. Turner, of 347 Wister road, Wynnewood, died on Friday following an illness of three weeks. Funeral services were held at two o'clock on Monday afternoon, with the Reverend Dr. Gibson Bell, rector of the church, conducting. The interment was at West Laurel Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Turner, who was a member of the Woman's Club of Bala-Cynwyd, is survived by her husband, two sons, John and William, and three daughters, Patricia and Barbara, twins, and Ann.

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## Merion's Liberty Scout Troop Observes 20th Anniversary

Local Boy Scout officials and about 300 citizens, including parents of the thirty-five members of Liberty Scout Troop, Merion, took part Monday night in exercises in observance of the troop's twentieth anniversary. The meeting was held in the Merion War Tribute House, on Hazlehurst avenue.

Mrs. Mary Louise Curtis Bok, whose late husband, Edward Bok, founded the troop two decades ago, was one of the speakers. Her son, Cary Bok, a charter member of the troop, showed motion pictures taken on his trip to Greenland.

H. H. Lineaweaver, who presided, presented a statuette of a Boy Scout to the troop, and T. Dun Belfield, first scoutmaster of the Merion unit, accepted it for the boys. The troop has thirty-five members.

## Franklin Institute Astronomer to See Eclipse From Mid-Ocean

When the moon eclipses the sun on Tuesday, June 8, a Philadelphian will probably be one of two astronomers to see this rare phenomenon from the region where it lasts longest.

It seemed for a time as if the center of the path might be completely neglected by astronomers, but The Franklin Institute, Princeton University and the Cook Observatory, Wynnewood, are cooperating in an attempt to make observations from mid-Pacific, it was announced today by Henry Butler Allen, secretary and director of the Institute. James Stokley, associate director in charge of Astronomy, is now on the way to California. He will observe the eclipse on behalf of The Franklin Institute and the Cook Observatory, and will be associated with Dr. John Q. Stewart, associate professor of Astronomy at Princeton. They will sail from San Francisco for Honolulu this Saturday.

## Kolb-Schroth Wedding June 17

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Schroth, of Scranton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lorette Elizabeth Schroth, to Mr. William Brant Kolb, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kolb, of Cynwyd.

Miss Schroth is a graduate of Sharon Hill Academy and is a junior at Rosemont College.

Mr. Kolb is a graduate of the Episcopal Academy and the University of Pennsylvania. He is a member of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

The wedding will take place on June 17.

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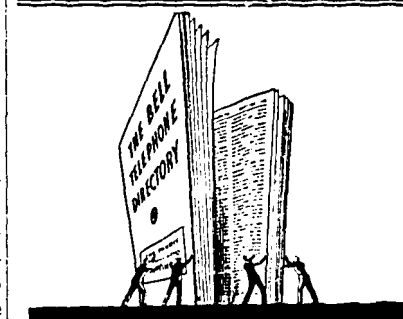
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## Guild's Last Meeting Wednesday

The Narberth branch of the Needlework Guild of America will meet in the Legion Room of the Community Building Wednesday at 10.30 A. M. for the monthly all-day sewing and business meeting. This is the last meeting of the season. All who possibly can are asked to attend. All ladies of the community are invited. Bring a box luncheon. Tea and coffee will be served.

## Shower for Bride-to-Be

A shower for Miss Agnes Brett, whose engagement to Martin V. Case, of Narberth, has been announced, was given Tuesday evening by Mrs. Victor Hipple, of 5113 Hawthorne street, Philadelphia. There were 17 guests.



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# Rush Chapter Elects Convention Delegates

Members Will Attend State D. A. R. Conference at Harrisburg in October

Those elected as delegates and alternate delegates to the State Conference of the N. S. D. A. R. to be held in Harrisburg in October, at the luncheon-meeting of the Dr. Benjamin Rush Chapter of D. A. R. held at Cameo Cottage, in Bala-Cynwyd, on Monday afternoon were Mrs. Franklin R. Lindsay, the regent; Mrs. Harold C. Penno, the vice regent; Mrs. Samuel McAdams, Mrs. John L. Miller, Mrs. Verna R. Woodcock, Mrs. E. B. Hoskins, Mrs. R. J. Dothard, Mrs. Hugh Glenn Martin, Mrs. John C. Nash, Mrs. J. H. Baker, Mrs. Joseph H. Miller, Mrs. Kenneth Wilson and Mrs. Stewart Anderson.

Mrs. Hugh Glenn Martin, the chaplain, opened the luncheon with a prayer followed by a salute to the flag led by Mrs. John C. Nash. Annual reports were read by the officers and the chairmen. Guests at the luncheon were Mrs. Caryl E. Starr, Mrs. H. C. Middleton, Jr., Mrs. Edward Heymann, Mrs. C. L. Wells, Mrs. Louis Umsted, Mrs. A. L. Cooke, Mrs. Edward Haws, Mrs. Oscar Shaffer and Mrs. H. C. Cook.

A motion was passed to buy two flags to be presented by the chapter to the Narberth Girl Scout Troop No. 126 and to a Boy Scout Troop in Philadelphia.

Troop No. 47, Narberth Girl Scouts, Mrs. Theodore Stieber, captain, will be presented with an American flag by Mrs. Ruth Nash, in behalf of the chapter this Friday evening in the Girl Scout Wing of the Community Building. Mrs. Nash will also give a talk on "The Flag."

The annual card party to raise funds for the Scholarship Fund will be held June 15, at the home of the regent, Mrs. Franklin R. Lindsay, 6 Wynndale avenue, Narberth. There will be a prize for each table and refreshments. Call Mrs. Lindsay, Narberth 2494, for reservations, or Mrs. Verna R. Woodcock, Narberth 2551, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee.

## Mrs. Whiting Rechosen President of P. T. A.

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you must teach your boy to be a graceful loser as well as a graceful winner.

Boys should be taught self-confidence and that there is work for the coming generation to do in athletics, and in the economic world.

Mr. Pollock told several interesting anecdotes of his personal experiences with famous baseball players and others who are tops in the Sports World.

At the close of the meeting the president, Mrs. Edmund Allen Whiting, expressed thanks to all the chairmen of the committees for their splendid co-operation during the past year and to Mrs. E. A. Engelhart for her fine programs.

## Rod and Gun Club Committees Listed

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F. Thompson, Dr. Curtis O. Whitticar, Dr. A. J. Denman.

Entertainment—John A. Miller, chairman; N. S. Dorsey, George G. Snyder, John Albrecht, Ernest Boulay, Walter P. Miesen, Ernest H. Jenkins.

Publicity—John A. Miller, chairman; Wayne Burnside, A. J. Cliff. Trap—Clarence Burnside, chairman; Grover Thompson, William Burgess, Walter P. Miesen, Joseph P. White, A. C. Cole, George Steckel. Rifle (small and large bore)—A. Donald Amesbury, chairman; Ernest H. Jenkins, Charles Chain, Jr., A. S. Hutton, George Steckel, A. C. Cole, George Floyd, Jr., Lloyd DuBois.

Pistol—Walter P. Miesen, chairman; E. H. Jenkins, Joseph P. White. Salt Water—N. S. Dorsey, chairman; Robert W. Weber, George A. Purring, E. P. McArel, E. H. Jenkins, Robert Ewing and Charles Hamsell.

Fresh Water—R. Buck, chairman; John Monroe, H. W. Benson, Lloyd DuBois, A. E. Turner, Wayne Burnside.

## County Postmasters Dine

More than 60 postmasters recently organized as the Montgomery County Postmasters' Association, held their monthly dinner-meeting Wednesday evening at the Hotel Hamilton, in Norristown.

Speakers were Joseph F. Gallagher, Philadelphia postmaster, and J. W. Johnston, chief postal inspector.

Joseph L. Kelly, Narberth postmaster, is secretary of the new group.



It is safe to say that Lower Merion has played her two best baseball games this season. Regardless of opponent, the Maroon nine will not be able to put up again this year such fine exhibitions as the boys displayed Monday at Norristown and again on Tuesday, at Haverford.

Lower Merion lost to Norristown by a score of 2 to 0, due principally to the no-hit pitching of Behney. Bob Tyson, twirling his first full game for the Maroon did a splendid job holding the leading Norristown team on two hits. A couple of errors followed by a single brought the break that meant defeat. The Junior twirler has another year to go and should become one of the suburbs' leading pitchers. His hurling on Monday would have won most ball games and on the basis of his showing he rates bigger opportunities in the future.

Ray Ryder, the big right-hander with a high hard one, upset the dope the following day by defeating Bill Turkington, Haverford's star southpaw, who rates one, two in the entire suburban league. Both boys pitched splendid ball, honors being about even in statistics, but Ryder getting the blue ribbon because his hit brought in Dondrea with the winning run. The final score was 2 to 1 for the Maroon.

The result of this game throws the league into a three-way tie, something that this column predicted a couple of weeks ago. Abington, a school that has been playing surprisingly fine baseball is now tied with Haverford and Norristown. If the complete schedule is played out, I do not believe that the end of the season will end in a tie, however. It is my hunch that Lower Merion will have a final word to say in the outcome. The chances are more than possible that Coach Fetter's boys will turn around and knock Norristown off their perch in their next meeting.

Rittenhouse Junior High School, of Norristown, defeated the Lower Merion Junior High School, 5 to 1, at Norristown, on Tuesday.

Coach Lincoln's track team, however, led the Orange and Black to another victory on the cinders Monday when the boys defeated Coatesville Junior High, 77 to 43. Holmes, McDonald and Gill turned in fine performances.

The best ball club around Philadelphia right now is the Philadelphia Athletics. The thing that is keeping them on top, even though it may be only a temporary perch, is the college spirit that pervades the atmosphere around Shibe Park. Boys like Ace Parker, Russ Peters, Chubby Dean and Frankie Hayes are out to win and to them Connie Mack is their idol and Shibe Park their Alma Mater.

It is nice news to see Haverford College again winning the Middle States track crown. Pop is still doing a fine job at the Main Line school.

## Juniors in Closing Banquet on May 27

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The same group and a few others will attend a performance at the Hedgrow Theatre, on June 10.

Among the members of the Junior Club who attended the convention dinner at the Bellevue-Stratford last Thursday evening were Mrs. Spencer V. Smith, the president; Mrs. Ellsworth Clark, Mrs. Robert Tabor, Miss Gladys Grover, Mrs. Frank Hutchinson, Mrs. C. F. Trowbridge, Mrs. Walter Hunsinger, Mrs. Herbert Barton, Mrs. Robert Price, Miss Katherine Laughlin, Mrs. Ivan C. Satow, Mrs. John H. Jefferies, Jr., Mrs. G. H. Wyckoff, Miss Kay Wheeler, Miss Muriel Wales and Miss Emma Katherine Crossley.

## Constitution Essay Contest for School Children Tomorrow

Pupils from Lower Merion township and Narberth will compete this Saturday with students from other Montgomery and Bucks counties' municipalities in the essay contest sponsored by the Ninth District of the American Legion.

The essays, 1000 words in length, will be written at the Eisenhower High School, Norristown, from 9 A. M. to 12.30 P. M. The topic is "The U. S. Constitution—Its Meaning After 150 Years."

A scholarship to Temple University will be presented to the winner in this county by State Senator Theodore Lane Bean.

## 10 Presidents of Community Club Note Achievements

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sub-junior work, declared that she was very glad to be back in Narberth and find out the club had progressed in its work for civic betterment and also home betterment and believed that the club indeed had kept to their motto of Co-operation, Progress and Service.

Mrs. Heath then called to the attention of the members that all the presidents from Mrs. E. C. Batchelor's administration were at the luncheon that day. They are Mrs. Batchelor, Mrs. A. B. Ross, Mrs. H. A. Jacobs, Mrs. L. C. Douglass, Mrs. C. A. Farmer, Mrs. W. Russell Green, Mrs. J. A. Hongler, Mrs. Caryl E. Starr, Mrs. Heath (retiring) and Mrs. E. W. Heymann (incumbent).

Annual reports were given by the officers and the chairmen. Mrs. C. J. Goodyear and Mrs. Robert A. Compton were appointed by the president as auditors of the treasurer's report.

Miss Evelyn Dutton, monologist, gave two short scenes from "The Merchant of Venice" and a humorous sketch entitled, "Miss Lily Mink, of the Literary Society of Bean Valley," and several other short bits. Mrs. Henry Frye, chairman of the Dramatic Committee, was in charge of the program.

Mrs. J. H. Speck, chairman of the Fellowship Committee, in behalf of the club members, presented Mrs. Heath with a gift of silver in appreciation of her fine service during the past two years. Mrs. Heath then installed the new officers, Mrs. Edward Heymann, president, Mrs. J. D. Sutherland, vice-president and Mrs. W. H. Muller, corresponding secretary, for 1937-39. Mrs. Heath then made her farewell speech and Mrs. Heymann her speech of acceptance.

Mrs. Ralph C. Heath, the former president, will entertain the Board of Directors and former chairmen at a farewell party on Tuesday at her home on Shirley road.

## Parade Will Precede Presentation Address

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the Memorial Day services, will be held in the Legion Room of the Community Building this Monday night at 8.30.

The borough Legionnaires have accepted the invitation of the Rev. Cletus A. Senft to attend services at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church on May 30.

## Epworth Variety Show Tonight

A variety show will be given this Friday evening at eight o'clock in the Parish Hall of the Narberth M. E. Church, Price and Essex avenues. The entertainment is sponsored by the Intermediate Epworth League.

## Close Cynwyd School as Scarlet Fever Increases

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ing the past five years shows a steady decrease as follows:  
1932, \$125,489.33; 1933, \$123,748.90; 1934, \$100,208.63; 1935, \$60,927.55; 1936, \$51,722.33.

A number of preliminary sketches in connection with the new Cynwyd Junior High School and the renovation of the old Academy Building are being studied as to their practicability, Superintendent Downs reported. Preparation of plans for the development of an additional playground on the recently acquired property adjoining the present high school property, Ardmore, were authorized by the Board.

Re-election took place of Frances J. McCabe, of 1358 Garden road, Overbrook Hills, as secretary of the Board.

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for a four-year term at a yearly salary of \$3000, and George W. Super, of 108 Sutton road, Ardmore, as treasurer for a term of one year at a salary of \$600.

Summer school will be held again this year and make-up work in senior and junior high schools. The school will be conducted by teachers of the regular faculty for a six-week period beginning June 21 and closing July 30.

## Baseball League Head Urges Teams' Support

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stuff," the speaker declared.

Introduced by Eugene H. Davis, veteran manager of the Narberth club, Hanley praised his sponsor.

"Some people have the mistaken idea that this is a Narberth and not a Main Line league," he said.

"Let me tell you now, as I have told many others in the past, that Gene Davis has never asked a favor for his team."

## Borough Team Starts League Play Tomorrow

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Last Sunday at Narberth, the Davismen had little trouble in winning from the Philadelphia Quakers, 9 to 6.

Al Herrmann pitched the full game for the locals and allowed nine hits. The visitors got off to a lead of two runs in the first, thanks to a couple of miscues and continued to make it an interesting game until the sixth inning, when the borough men's bats lambasted the offerings of Jim Miller to bring five runs thundering home.

Jack Eachus, Art Baker and Harry Fox each contributed a double for the winners.

At Trenton, N. J., Sunday, the Narberth Bees defeated the Lincoln Giants, 9 to 1. Paul Kane held the losers to five hits.

## Bill Muller Elected President of Players

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bridge, slated candidate, was chosen secretary, while Martha G. Sutherland for a treasurer and B. G. Simpson for a three-year term on the Board of Governors, were unopposed.

Next time it was suggested that the ballots be perforated for tearing off between offices as three separate votes were taken, with much writing in of names.

Mr. Simpson, the retiring president, briefly reviewed his two years' administration and paid especial tribute

to the aid that had been given him by George Werner, Mrs. Simpson and "Bill" Muller.

The Players were invited to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Simpson at the annual picnic on the morning of June 13 at Martin's Dam.

Prior to the election Hervey C. Keim, treasurer pro tem since the resignation of Roland Fleer, made the annual financial report sound interesting. The Players received more than they expended.

Mr. Wooley, in making the annual report of the Board of Governors revealed that the Players now number 192.

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